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DISAPPEARED IN DARKNESS

Unknown Vessel Goes Down Off
Point and Tug Boats Start
to the Rescue.

THOUGHT TO BE SCHOONER

Steamer Columbia Enroute for
'Frisco, but Is Not Deemed
Probable That She Is
the One.

San Francisco, March 11.—A vessel was reported in distress about a mile south of Point Reyes tonight.

Her identity has not yet been established. After displaying signals of distress, the vessel disappeared in the darkness.

The steamer has gone from this city to the rescue.

The schooner Chico from Eureka, the James Dollar from Seattle and the steamer Columbia from Portland are all due and are thought to be in the vicinity of Point Reyes tonight. There is much speculation and anxiety as to the identity of the vessel.

The observer at Point Reyes believes the vessel to be the schooner Chico.

HEAVY SNOW IN WASHINGTON

Bridge Washed Away and Tracks
Are Demolished—Line Is
Cut Off.

Everett, Wash., March 11.—Snow storms here and in the Cascades last night have caused a loss of life and property. Yesterday at Wellington heavy snow slides came from the mountains, demolishing a coal chute and killing two employees. The west bound Great Northern scheduled here last night has not arrived as the Great Northern is using the Northern Pacific tracks from Spokane to Seattle. The coast line of the Great Northern is seriously hampered by mud slides. A bridge on the Great Northern was carried away by a slide, and until it is rebuilt the mountain line will be out of communication.

LIGHTHOUSE FOR MILE ROCK

Increased Safety of Entrance to the
Golden Gate.

San Francisco, March 11.—Under the direction of Captain Valentine of the United States engineer corps a force of men has gone to Mile Rock, at the entrance of the Golden Gate, and begun the work of preparing for the erection of a lighthouse on the jagged peak. Since the days of the discovery of this bay Mile Rock has been regarded as one of the most dangerous obstructions on this part of the coast. The construction of a lighthouse will not only remove the element of danger from the rock's existence, but will serve as a guide to ships.

LUMBER A LUXURY

Prices Soaring in San Francisco—\$20
to \$75 per Thousand.

San Francisco, March 11.—The Retail Lumber Dealers' association has made another advance in prices. Six months ago the price of rough Oregon pine was from \$10 to \$12 a thousand. Finishing pine, which is clear and free from knots, is worth today \$30 a thousand upwards. Last year No. 2 flooring cost \$20 a thousand; now it is selling from \$30 to \$31 a thousand feet. Comparatively little sugar pine is used, and then only for doors, sashes, etc., for it costs from \$70 to \$75 a thousand.

OTHER DEBTORS TO COERCE

Effect of Germany's Debt Collecting
Crusade.

New York, March 11.—English investors in Spanish-American loans are now looking for a sequel to the Venezuelan affair in some other quarter of the Western hemisphere, says the Tribune's representative in London. The only other countries where defaults of interest and repudiation of financial obligations are rampant are Costa Rica and Guatemala. The external debt of

Costa Rica was scaled down to lower rates of interest, but defaults have occurred on both the interest and the sinking fund.

Guatemala's debt was also rearranged at 4 percent, but the interest has not been paid. These countries are exposing themselves to foreign coercion in the interest of European creditors. It is not probable that England will join Germany in another naval campaign against either republic, since the British investors in the two main Venezuelan loans complain that the effect of the alliance has been to establish preference for inferior German claims and to create a prejudice against the legitimate claims of bondholders.

APPROVED BY CUBAN SENATE

Washington, March 11.—Senior Senator, the Cuban minister to the United States, received a dispatch from his government this afternoon saying that the reciprocity treaty was approved by the senate by a vote of 16 to 5.

LEFT LONDON ON ACCOUNT OF HIS HEALTH

And Now Officers are Looking for
Prominent London Man With
a Warrant.

London, March 11.—A warrant for the arrest of Whitaker Wright, director of the London and Globe Finance corporation, was issued today. Following the order issued yesterday to the official receiver of the corporation by Justice Buckley to criminally prosecute Wright, summons for the latter was obtained, but when the officer went to his residence to serve it he was informed that Wright had gone to the continent on account of his health, hence the issue of the warrant.

HAD CHINESE LOOT

Valuable Relic of Historic Value in
Captain's Baggage.

San Francisco, March 11.—A valuable piece of jade looted from Peking during the boxer trouble has been found by customs officers in the baggage of an army captain whose identity is not disclosed. The jade is valued at \$2400. The inscription on it was written 200 years ago, and is a tribute from the reigning emperor to his predecessor. The army captain claims to have purchased it in China for \$200.

DARING SACRILEGE

Son of Priest Stole Crown From Image of Saviour.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 24.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The police have caught the burglar that robbed the St. Isaac cathedral and carried away the crown from the image of the Saviour, which was ornamented by a diamond worth \$25,000 and 79 other jewels. The thief is the son of a priest and enjoys the rank of a citizen of honor during his lifetime. The theft was his first offense.

Will Break All Records.

New Orleans, March 11.—It is generally admitted by government, state and city authorities that the Mississippi river will in all probability break all records before the present flood begins to recede. A gauge here tonight shows the river to be just one foot below the high water record. Large forces of men are at work on levees day and night.

Joe Kans Wins In Eleventh.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 11.—In an eleven round fight tonight with Steve Crosby of Louisville, Joe Kans, lightweight champion, won.

Washout Delays Traffic.

Idaho, March 11.—Traffic on the Oregon Short Line was considerably delayed last night by a washout west of Payette, caused by the bursting of a reservoir. The washout was discovered by a young man riding on the track on a bicycle, who hurried to the nearest telegraph station and warned the company of the danger.

Wireless Telegraphy Adopted.

New York, March 11.—The preliminary tests of the wireless telegraph system between harbor forts were made today and in future wireless telegraphy will be used regularly for communications between Fort Wadsworth and Fort Hancock, about 15 miles.

WHOLESALE INDICTMENTS

Mayor Humes of Seattle Charged
With Not Enforcing the
Gambling Law.

OTHERS ARE UNDER THE BAN

General Cleaning Out Is Taking
Place in Sound City—Mayor
Gets Real Sancy and
Talks Back.

Seattle, March 11.—The grand jury today voted to indict Mayor Thomas J. Humes, Chief of Police Sullivan, and Walter S. Fulton, late prosecuting attorney of King county.

The charge is malfeasance in office, based primarily on the opinion of the jury that each neglected to enforce the city and state laws against gambling. The vote was taken by the jury at 4 o'clock this afternoon and efforts were made to suppress the news pending the preparation of the true bills and the arrest of the accused. Prosecuting Attorney Scott is instructed to prepare the indictments which he will probably do tomorrow.

In addition to the indictment of Mayor Humes, Chief Sullivan and ex-prosecuting Attorney W. S. Fulton for malfeasance in office in their failure to suppress gambling, the grand jury indicted S. Rosenberg, a prominent business man, charged with renting the St. Elmo hotel for immoral purposes, and Stephen G. Meek for embezzlement. Hawthorne and Smith, managers of two local diamond investment concerns were also indicted, accused of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Mayor Humes, in discussing the indictment, said:

"The grand jury should now indict every man who voted for me. I told them how I would run the town, and I have done just as I promised."

SUSTAINS VETO OF GOVERNOR

Vote to Pass Over Head of Executive Fell Short of Require Two-thirds

Olympia, March 10.—This afternoon the senate sustained Governor McBride's veto of the bill repealing the newspaper libel law. The vote to pass the bill, notwithstanding the disapproval of the governor, was 22 ayes and 15 nos, and therefore fell short of the two-thirds required for passage.

The house bill providing for local option in the matter of issuing saloon licenses passed the senate this afternoon and that body also passed the house bill amending the school code known as the omnibus education bill.

The house passed a general appropriation bill which carries \$983,317 on general fund and \$280,375 on special funds.

The house also passed the omnibus state road bill, carrying \$100,000 dividend amending various state roads.

HUSBAND FOUND TO HAVE BEEN BLAMELESS

Automobile Plunged Over Quarry and
As a Result Wife Is Now
Dead.

Buffalo, March 11.—Mrs. Arthur Pennell died at the hospital tonight. The automobile which carried Mr. Pennell and his wife in a plunge to the bottom of a stone quarry last night, was carefully examined today. The result of the examination left no doubt that Mr. Pennell did everything in his power to regain control of the vehicle when it careened. The brakes were tightly set, with the power indicator turned to the reverse and a track of the wheels in the soft earth on the side between the street pavement and quarry show that the wheels were turning backward when the machine sped forward to destruction.

EX-MAYOR AMES WILL FIGHT THROUGH COURTS

Declines to Return to Minneapolis and
Stand Trial for Alleged Bribery.

Manchester, N. H., March 11.—Not until all legal proceedings are exhausted will Former Mayor Ames of Minneapolis consent to return to that city

and stand trial for alleged bribery.

His attorneys in this state made a strong effort in the supreme court today to secure his release on habeas corpus proceedings, and when beaten they appealed to the supreme court of New Hampshire. Should that court decide adversely the power of the supreme court of the United States will be invoked to set him free, so that he will probably be able to stay in New Hampshire for a year or more at least. In the meantime he will beat liberty, providing he finds securities to the amount of \$12,500.

HIS WIFE FOUND HIS DEAD BODY

Prominent Business Man of Seattle
Shoots Himself Through
the Heart.

Seattle, March 11.—J. W. Wallace, manager of the Lloyd Transfer company of this city, committed suicide this afternoon in his home by shooting himself through the heart. His dead body was found in a bath tub by his wife on her return home. Wallace recently learned that he had consumption, and brooding over this discovery is thought to be largely responsible for his death. For several years he was cashier of the National Bank of Commerce.

LEAD ADVANCING.

Twenty-Five Percent Advance at the
Smelters.

Denver, March 11.—The News today says:

The Denver office of the American Smelting & Refining company has authorized its agents to announce that on and after today the price paid at smelters for the lead in ores would be \$3.75 per 100 pounds. This is an advance of 25 cents per 100 pounds over the smelter rate for the whole of 1902.

Appropriation for Exhibit.

Sacramento, March 11.—Both branches of the legislature have passed a bill appropriating \$150,000 for the California exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis.

FUNSTON IN WASHINGTON

War Department Gives General
Instructions Regarding Affairs in Alaska.

REDUCE THE RESERVATIONS

Special Inquiries Will Be Made
Regarding the Relation of
Civilians and the Military Affairs.

Washington, March 11.—General Frederick Funston was at the war department today in response to summons from Acting Secretary Sanger to discuss matters connected with his new assignment as commander of the department of the Columbia.

Sanger desired to acquire special information respecting conditions in Alaska, which is within the limits of General Funston's new command, and as the officer will soon be going into that territory the secretary is charging him with subjects of inquiry.

It is especially desired that data be obtained as a basis of recasting rules regulating the issue of licenses issued to civilians to occupy a sitting on military reservations in Alaska, and General Funston is to ascertain how far the reduction should go and when it can be effected.

SHE HAD NERVE.

A Good Thing to Cultivate, by Men as Well as Women.

New York, March 11.—When the horses attached to a Fifth avenue stage started to run away yesterday afternoon after a collision with an automobile, an unknown woman who had a seat with the driver seized the reins he let fall when he was thrown to the street and guided the plunging horse through the mazes of vehicles until a policeman stopped them. Then she descended from the high seat, and refusing to give her name, walked away. The driver and one lady passenger were painfully injured.

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